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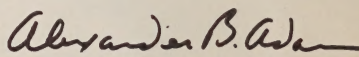
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To save for posterity as much of vanishing natural America as we can: this is the goal of The Nature Conservancy. Toward this goal we have made headway. We have, in fact, a conspicuous record of achievement to our credit. But the deadline against which we work is inexorable. Certainly not a day passes that does not see our task become more urgent, more challenging.

The success of the Conservancy, measured against the funds available for operations, has been spectacular, so spectacular indeed that we sometimes hear expressed the misconception that the Conservancy benefits from a large endowment. Nothing could be farther from the truth.

To find adequate funds for the operation of the Conservancy is our number one problem. We have the busy and dedicated membership we need, a wide-awake and hard working professional staff, and a steadily increasing number of worthwhile projects to engage both members and staff. The one serious problem is to generate the public support without which there can be no Conservancy.

In this issue of the **News**, you can find persuasive evidence of what The Nature Conservancy has accomplished in just fifteen years. What we are able to achieve in the next fifteen years, a period that must surely prove crucial and decisive, will depend in very large part upon the willingness of the members of the Conservancy to support the organization financially.


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CHECKLIST OF NATURE CONSERVANCY PRESERVES

A complete listing to mid-April 1968 of lands now owned or leased by The Nature Conservancy, lands controlled by conservation easements, or under purchase contract. Included in this summary are areas formerly owned by the Conservancy, now conveyed to others, usually with a reverter clause. (Such areas are identified by the symbol ⊙.) Also included are preserves in the establishment of which The Nature Conservancy played some role, large or small. (These are identified by the symbol ⊕.)

Please write The Nature Conservancy to obtain the name of the person in charge of any particular area.

NAME	ACREAGE	DESCRIPTION	STATUS
ALABAMA			
Shelta Cave (1967) Madison Co.	2	May house more major aquatic troglobionts than any other cave.	Owned. Admission by permission.
ALASKA			
Glacier Bay (Mackay Tract) (1967)	20	Key inholding in Glacier Bay National Monument.	Sold to National Park Service.⊙
Glacier Bay (Kenney Tract) (1968)	31	A second key inholding in Glacier Bay National Monument.	Owned. Held for National Park Service.
ARIZONA			
Patagonia-Sonoita Creek Sanctuary (1966) Santa Cruz Co.	309	A desert stream flowing the year around. Forested. Habitat for numerous birds, some rare.	Owned. Open to public.
ARKANSAS			
Dobbins Tract (1967) Stone Co.	40	Mixed hardwoods. Bluffs to Sycamore Creek. Protects Blanchard Springs Cavern.	Owned. Held for Forest Service.

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CALIFORNIA			
Bolinas Lagoon (Kent Island) (1967) Marin Co.	109	The lagoon shelters an abundant variety of shore birds and many forms of marine life.	Deeded to Marin County.⊙
Buena Vista Lagoon (1960) San Diego Co.	96	Series of fresh water lagoons at estuary mouth; Refuge for migratory birds.	Owned. Open to public.
Bunny & Helen's Woods (1967) Marin Co.	15	Cover of bay laurel and Bishop pine; Near Point Reyes National Seashore.	Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin I. Power. Admission by permission.
Byrne Preserve (1966) Santa Clara Co.	54	Rounded grassland slope with some large oaks; drops to valley with heavy evergreen forest.	Gift of Dr. Albert B. Byrne. To be deeded to town of Los Altos Hills as natural park.
Children's Beach (1967) Marin Co.	1	Recreation area.	Inverness Foundation.⊕
Ernest W. Cleary Preserve (1962) Napa Co.	400	Mosaic pattern of forest, chaparral, and grasslands. Streams and waterfalls.	Owned. Visitors by permission.
Alice Ewing Preserve (1964) San Diego Co.	19	High plateau covered with sage, manzanita, rhus, and sweet anise. Small game refuge.	Owned. Visitors by permission.
Blanche Hamilton Wildlife Sanctuary (Devil's Punchbowl) (1962) Los Angeles Co.	40	Pinon-juniper-yucca community; waterhole; adjacent to Angeles National Forest.	Gift of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hamilton.
Jack's Peak (1968) Monterey Co.	55	High point with potrero grassland and Monterey pine.	Held for Monterey County Parks.
Edmund C. Jaeger Nature Sanctuary Riverside Co. (1964)	160	Desert with fragile flora. Here hibernating poorwill was discovered, upsetting long held theory concerning birds' wintering habits.	Owned. Open to public.
Lyman Memorial Buckeye Grove (1967) Napa Co.	2	Natural prairie and old California buckeyes.	Gift of Mr. W. W. Lyman. Admission by permission.

NAME	ACREAGE	DESCRIPTION	STATUS
CALIFORNIA — (Continued)			
Molera Tract (1965) Monterey Co.	2,089	Forested canyon country. Pine, redwoods, birch at mouth of Big Sur River.	Agreement of sale. Visitors by permission.
Forest of Nisene Marks (1962) Santa Cruz Co.	9,750	Wilderness area near urban population. Forest of second-growth redwood and fir.	Sold to state for a park.⊙
Northern California Coast Range Preserve (1958) Mendocino Co.	3,895	Old-growth Douglas fir, redwoods, madrone, and tanbark oak; virgin watershed of Elder Creek in San Andreas Fault.	Owned. Visitors by permission.
Onslow-Ford Preserve (1967) Marin Co.	193	Complete small watershed near Point Reyes. Cover of bay laurel and Bishop pine.	Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Onslow-Ford. Admission by permission.
Pygmy Forest (1966) Mendocino Co.	10	Mature forest of miniature conifers.	Gift of Dr. and Mrs. Hans Jenny. Visitors by permission.
Rancho Montana de Oro (1962) San Luis Obispo Co.	4,470	Magnificent canyon country.	State of California.⊕
St. Hilary's Wildflower Preserve (1962) Marin Co.	2	Churchyard, with excellent local flora.	Belvedere-Tiburon Landmarks Society.⊕
Sand Ridge Wildflower Preserve (1965) Kern Co.	117	Grassland, with unusual concentration of wildflowers.	Owned. Visitors welcome.
Spindrift Point (1966) Marin Co.	4	High, rugged bluff overlooking Pacific. Cormorant rookery. Rare lichens.	Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Borden. Visitors by appointment.
Swartz Canyon (1968) Napa Co.	120	Basalt outcroppings and many springs.	Owned. Open to public.
Trinity Alps (1964) Trinity Co.	40	Two-acre lake surrounded by virgin stands.	Sold to U. S. Forest Service.⊙
Tulare Vernal Pools Reserve (1964) Tulare Co.	40	Grassland with temporary pools and brilliant flora from March till mid-May.	Owned. Open to public.
Williams Wildlife Sanctuary (1963) Kern Co.	40	Rolling hills; digger pine, blue oak, California buckeye association.	Gift of Mrs. Will Williams. Visitors by permission.

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COLORADO			
Galena Mountain (Mexican Cut) (1966) Gunnison Co.	600	A series of broad, water-catching ledges at 11,000 feet.	Leased to Rocky Mountain Biological Institute.
CONNECTICUT			
Akeley Nature Reserve (1960) New London Co.	8	Second-growth deciduous woodlands.	Gift of Mrs. Carl Akeley. Visitors by permission.
Bantam River (1962) Litchfield Co.	57	Natural area along river bank, near urban centers.	Owned. Visitors by permission. Additional shore line protected by conservation easements.
Barrett Preserve (1967) New London Co.	54	Mixed hardwoods preserved to maintain natural lands in developing area.	Gift of Miss Marion Barrett. Visitors by permission.
Bartlett Arboretum (1965) Fairfield Co.	62	Forested land, a third in rare plantings.	State of Connecticut. ⊕
Bond Preserve (1966) Fairfield Co.	7	Interesting marsh area.	Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Harold H. Bond. Visitors by permission.
The William Buell Natural Area (1965) Litchfield Co.	90	Attractive ravine with brook and beech-hemlock woods near Bantam River.	Gift of Dr. Murray F. Buell and Mrs. P. Eric Plehn.
Burnham Brook Preserve (1960) Middlesex Co.	98	Hemlock and mixed hardwood forest; ravine traversed by spring-fed stream.	Gift of Dr. and Mrs. Richard H. Goodwin. Visitors by permission.
Byram River Gorge (1963) Fairfield Co.	81	Climax forest including 230-year old hemlocks.	Owned. Visitors by permission.
Cathedral Pines (1968) Litchfield Co.	42	200-year old white pine and hemlock.	Gift of Mrs. Jean C. Bacon and Calhoun family.
Cotton Hollow (1960) Hartford Co.	5	Wooded ravine with large hemlocks and mixed hardwoods.	Owned. Open to public.
Darien Marsh (1968) Fairfield Co.	2	Sample of coastal marsh.	Agreement of sale.
Devil's Den (1966) Fairfield Co.	1,369	Covers most of Saugatuck River watershed. Features rock ledges covered by oak and maple.	Gift of Miss Katharine Ordway. Visitors by permission.

NAME	ACREAGE	DESCRIPTION	STATUS
CONNECTICUT — (Continued)			
Helen Whiting Ferris Salt Marsh (1967) Middlesex Co.	2	Sample of Connecticut coastal marsh.	Gift of Mrs. Davenport Hooker and Mrs. Elizabeth Gjenvick.
Folly Brook (1963) Hartford Co.	13	Alluvial river bottom subject to periodic flooding. Forested.	Gift of Mrs. Effie Goodwin. Open to the public.
Fuller Preserve (1967) Fairfield Co.	35	Northern hardwood swamp with red maple, dogwood, willow, etc.	Gift of Constance G. Fuller. Open to public.
Lange Tract (1964) Fairfield Co.	3	Swampy thickets. Bird sanctuary.	Gift of Mrs. J. Carvel Lange. Open to public.
Lower Shingle Mill Pond (1967) New London Co.	55	Wild land adjacent to Nehantic State Park.	Sold to state for park.⊙
Mamacoke Island (1955) New London Co.	41	Rocky, deciduous woodland. Salt marsh.	Connecticut College.⊕
Meadow Woods (1968) Middlesex Co.	97	Heavily wooded natural area overlooking Connecticut River.	Gift of Mr. Earl L. Canfield.
Mianus River (1966) Fairfield Co.	130	Hemlocks and old-growth hardwoods. Narrow and wild river.	Sold to state for park.⊙
Pattagansett Marshes (1967) New London Co.	6	Salt marshes and islands in estuary.	Owned. Open to public.
Perry Natural Area (1961) New London Co.	93	Second-growth oak forests and old pastures invaded by red cedar.	Pequot-Sepos Wildlife Sanctuary, Inc.⊕
Pond Mountain Trust (1967) Litchfield Co.	722	Mountain land with northern hardwoods; Appalachian Trail runs through area.	Deeded back to Pond Mountain Trust.⊙
Frederic C. Walcott Preserve (1956) Litchfield Co.	569	Black spruce bog and 12-acre Beckley Pond surrounded by forests. Beaver habitat.	494 acres owned; adjacent acreage controlled by conservation easement. Visitors by permission.
Sile Hall Pond (1964) Litchfield Co.	39	Unspoiled bog pond and bay heath surrounded by mixed hardwoods.	Gift of Bethuel Webster. Open to public.
Ridgefield (Peterson Gorge) (1967) Fairfield Co.	12	Open space for town park.	Owned. Open to public.

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CONNECTICUT — (Continued)			
Spiderweed (1967) Middlesex Co.	157	Heavy hardwood forest. House of historical interest.	Gift of Miss Helen Lohman. Admission by permission.
Taine Mountain Preserve (1960) Hartford Co.	174	Mixed hardwoods on steep west slope of Taine Mountain.	Open to public.
Waldo Preserve (1967) New London Co.	3	Red maple swamp and forest.	Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Russell H. Waldo. Admission by permission.
FLORIDA			
Blowing Rocks (1968) Martin Co.	58	Geyser effects from wave action against coral fissures. Turtle nesting area.	Owned. Open to public.
Corkscrew Swamp (1954) Collier Co.	5,760	Sawgrass marsh, virgin cypress forest.	National Audubon Society.⊕
Jack Island (1960) St. Lucie Co.	622	West Indian palms on nine islands.	State of Florida.⊕
Koreshan Unity (1966) Lee Co.	75	Unspoiled sample of Florida wildland along Estero River.	Gift of Miss Hedwig Michel (on behalf of Koreshan Unity). Visitors by permission.
Koreshan Unity (1962) Lee Co.	305	Famous for plants, birdlife, and museum.	State of Florida.⊕
Robins Memorial Forest (1965) Hernando Co.	31	Notable remnant of southern pine forest.	Gift of Miss Lisa von Borowsky. Visitors by permission.
Rookery Bay (1966) Collier Co.	2,431	Shallow bays, grassy bottoms, and mangrove shore lines.	Audubon Preserve.⊕
St. Vincent Island (1967) Franklin Co.	11,290	Unspoiled marsh, shore, and woodland. Six major lakes. Fourteen miles of beach. Numerous species of birds, mammals, and reptiles.	Owned. Admission by permission. Held for Fish and Wildlife Service.
GEORGIA			
Charles Harrold Nature Preserve (1964) Candler Co.	72	Essentially this property is restricted to uses which will preserve the rare shrub <i>Elliottia racemosa</i> .	Gift of Miss Clermont Lee and Mr. Frank Dulany.

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GEORGIA — (Continued)			
Ogeechee River Natural Area (1962) Chatham Co.	171	Sand ridges and tidal river swamp.	Youth Museum of Savannah.⊕
HAWAII			
Valley of the Seven Sacred Pools (1967) Maui	9,000	A vast wild valley of waterfalls, pools, and virgin forest. The forests shelter a delicate and complex ecology.	Portions of valley to be donated. Fund-raising being conducted to purchase remainder.
IDAHO			
Craters of the Moon (1957) Butte Co.	5,361	Virgin grassland protected by lava flows.	National Park Service.⊕
Dautrich Preserve (1966) Ada Co.	160	Sample of semi-desert vegetation.	Gift of Mrs. Helene M. Dautrich.
Idler's Rest (1967) Latah Co.	33	Douglas fir and ponderosa pine on stream.	Owned. Open to public.
Salmon River Project (1966) Custer Co.	46	Heavily forested inholding on Salmon River in Challis National Forest.	Sold to U. S. Forest Service.⊙
Upper Priest Lake (1964) Bonner Co.	143	Mature forest on lake in midst of wilderness area.	U. S. Forest Service.⊕
ILLINOIS			
Bartlett Woods (1967) Lee Co.	23	Hard maple, red and burr oak. Orchis spectabilis .	Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Watson P. Bartlett. Admission by permission.
Beall Woods (1962) Wabash Co.	200	Virgin bottomland and hardwood forest.	State of Illinois.⊕
Big Creek Woods Memorial (1967) Richland Co.	40	Well-wooded stream, bluff, and floodplain.	Gift of Dr. Francis A. Cline. Open to public.
Burton Cave (1967) Adams Co.	78	Deciduous forest on hillside. Prairie remnant on tableland. Cave is a bat hibernacula.	Gift of Quincy Foundation. Admission by permission.

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ILLINOIS — (Continued)			
Carpenter Woods (1964) Lake Co.	9	Flood plain forest on the Des Plaines River.	Gift of Mrs. Arthur Dixon. Admission by permission.
Hart Memorial Woods (1963) Champaign Co.	36	Woodland bordering Sangamon River; site of four Indian mounds due for archeological investigation.	Sold to University of Illinois.⊙
Ica Marks Preserve (1967) Edwards Co.	40	Upland and flood plain remnants. Large river birches.	Gift of Miss Ica Marks. Admission by permission.
Pine Rock Preserve (1964) Ogle Co.	58	Large sandstone outcroppings; wet and dry prairie.	Turned over to Northern Illinois University.⊙
Prairie Grouse Preserve (1965) Jasper Co.	255	Typical open prairie habitat for prairie chicken.	Owned. Open to public.
Rocky Branch (1962) Clark Co.	175	Wooded ravine with rich herbaceous flora.	Turned over to Eastern Illinois University.⊙
Volo Bog (1957) Lake Co.	47	Tamarack bog surrounding small lake.	Conveyed to University of Illinois.⊙
Wauconda Bog (1957) Lake Co.	67	Mature tamarack bog.	Conveyed to University of Illinois.⊙
Ralph E. Yeatter Prairie Chicken Sanctuary (1962)	77	Nesting and wintering ground for prairie chicken.	Prairie Chicken Foundation of Illinois, Inc.⊕
INDIANA			
Blue Bluff (1962) Morgan Co.	32	250-foot high shale bluff; ferns and vascular plants.	Owned. Visitors by permission.
Botany Glen (1962) Grant Co.	40	Second-growth hardwood with mature oak and hickory. Shooting star and other wildflowers.	Marion College.⊕
Cedar Bluff Preserve (1963) Monroe Co.	23	Limestone cliff; valley containing rich herbaceous vegetation; rare walking fern.	Owned. Visitors by permission.
Pine Hills (1956) Montgomery Co.	604	Sandstone gorge with narrow ridges; mature timber, including pine, hemlock, hardwoods.	598 acres conveyed to state.⊙

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INDIANA			
Portland Arch (1964) Fountain Co.	147	Stone arch along Wabash River. Mature forest.	Owned. Visitors by permission.
Thornhill Farm (1966) Huntington Co.	77	Demonstrates ecological succession from farmland to woodland.	Huntington College.⊕
Tippecanoe Island (1967) Pulaski Co.	15	Timbered with elm and hackberry. Great blue heron rookery.	Advance acquisition for Indiana Department of Natural Resources.
IOWA			
Berry Woods (1961) Warren Co.	42	100-250 year old white oaks.	Gift of Mr. Don L. Berry. Visitors by permission.
Hanging Bog (1967) Linn Co.	17	Cold springs. Water seeping in many places. Many wildflowers.	Iowa Chapter Project.
Kopp Tract (1966) Clayton Co.	49	Rugged ravine climax forest on limestone base.	Owned. Visitors by permission only.
Savage Memorial Woods (1967) Henry Co.	11	Upland hardwood overlooking Big Cedar Creek.	Gift of Miss A. E. Savage. Admission by permission.
KANSAS			
Sand Prairie (1961) Harvey Co.	80	Typical but rare undisturbed sand prairie.	Owned by Bethel College.⊙
KENTUCKY			
Cumberland River (1964) Whitley Co.	271	Primitive forested area along river.	Sold to Forest Service.⊙
Murphey's Pond (1966) Hickman Co.	235	Cypress swamp, refuge for numerous mammals and reptiles.	Open to visitors.
MARYLE			
Augusta Nature Club (1967) Kennebec Co.	17	Mixed hardwoods and evergreens for nature study.	Deeded to Augusta Nature Club.⊙
Baker Island (1966) Hancock Co.	74	Easternmost of Cranberry Islands. Rocky shore; wooded interior.	Conveyed by gift to National Park Service.⊙

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MAINE (Continued)			
Basket Island (1968) Cumberland Co.	11	Mixed hardwoods and conifers on rocky island.	Gift of Mrs. Elizabeth B. Dessau. Admission by permission.
Colby-Marston Preserve (1966) Kennebec Co.	21	Kettle hole bog located on side of esker.	Transferred to Colby College.⊙
Crockett Cove Woods (1966) Hancock Co.	46	High wooded ground and moss covered ledges.	Gift of Mrs. Emily L. Muir. Admission by permission.
Damariscove Island (1966) Lincoln Co.	209	Mostly open island with small lake.	Gift of Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Parker. Visitors by permission.
Arthur Hayden Dayton Natural Area (1967) Hancock Co.	20	Forest of beech, maple and conifers on glacial debris island in Lake Nivatous.	Gift of Dr. and Mrs. Arthur B. Dayton. Admission by permission.
Dram Island (1965) Hancock Island	6	Forested island in Frenchman's Bay.	Gift of Mr. Bayard R. Ewing. Open to public.
Eustis Preserve (1967) Sagadahoc Co.	43	Well-forested land with long shoreline.	Gift of Mr. Warner Eustis. Beach open to public.
Harkness Grant (1967) Knox Co.	5	Undisturbed hardwoods and conifers.	Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Cramer. Admission by permission.
The Hermitage (1967) Knox Co.	35	Large grove of white pine on bluff over west branch of Pleasant River.	Owned. Admission by permission.
Indian and Fowl Meadow Islands (1968) Somerset Co.	32	Wooded islands in Kennebec River.	Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton B. Townsend.
Ketterlinus Preserve (1966) Hancock Co.	16	Fir and spruce covered sample of rock-bound coast.	Gift of Miss Eugenia Ketterlinus. Visitors permitted.
LaVerna Preserve (1965) Lincoln Co.	119	Rocky coastal area. Part of Rachel Carson Seacoast.	Owned. Visitors permitted.
Little River Marsh (1964) York Co.	20	Salt marshes bordered by oak-hemlock forest.	Sold to U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service.⊙
Montsweag Reserve (1967) Sagadahoc Co.	10	Thick second-growth to shoreline of Montsweag Bay.	Owned. Open to public.

NAME	ACREAGE	DESCRIPTION	STATUS
MAINE — (Continued)			
Mullen Woods (1967) Penobscot Co.	100	Dense mixed forest of large hemlocks, white pine, balsam fir, and hardwoods.	Owned. Open to public.
Plummer Point (1963) Lincoln Co.	70	Wooded peninsula on Damariscotta River. Picturesque estuary and long shoreline.	Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Ingram H. Richardson. Visitors by permission.
St. Clair Tract (1962) Waldo Co.	240	Mixed old spruce-fir forest with some new growth aspen-birch forest on upland lake shore and marsh; mature white cedar swamp.	Gift of Mr. Cary W. Bok. Visitors by permission.
Salt Pond Natural Area (1966) Lincoln Co.	78	Mixed forest of large white pine and red oak on eastern shore of Muscongus Bay; part of Rachel Carson Seacoast.	Gift of Mrs. Myron Williams, Mrs. Elizabeth Gardner, Mrs. Anna E. Hinners, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Search.
Smith Island Preserve (1967) Knox Co.	8	Open island in Penobscot Bay; nesting terns.	Gift of Dr. and Mrs. Austin Lamont. Visitors by permission.
Step Falls (1961) Oxford Co.	23	Falling stream with rapids, water-smoothed ledges, glacial boulders, bordered by rich white pine forest.	Owned. Open to public.
Turtle Island (1963) Hancock Co.	140	Rocky shoreline, natural cove; mature fir and spruce forest.	Owned. Open to public.
Wreck Island (1967) Hancock Co.	65	Scenic, rocky, spruce-covered island.	Owned. Open to public.
MASSACHUSETTS			
Battle Creek Cypress Swamp (1956) Calvert Co.	100	Northernmost stand of bald cypress on the western shore of Chesapeake Bay.	Owned. Open to public.
Catoctin Mountain Park (1967) Frederick Co.	3	Strategic inholding.	Transferred to National Park Service.⊙
Corcoran Tract (1965) Anne Arundel Co.	137	Mature stand of yellow poplar, oaks, white pine, holly, and dogwood, on Chesapeake Bay.	Now owned by state of Maryland.⊙
Hellen Creek Hemlock Preserve (1956) Calvert Co.	21	Mature hemlock stand at edge of tidewater.	Owned. Visitors by permission.

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MARYLAND			
St. Mary's River Park (1967) St. Mary's Co.	452	Mixed hardwoods and conifers.	Purchase option. Visitors by permission. Held for Maryland Parks.
MARYLAND			
Beaverbrook Valley (1965) Middlesex Co.	90	Small stream valley with hemlocks and an esker.	Sales agreement. Visitors by permission.
Concord Lands (1965) Middlesex Co.	112	Rolling glaciated landscape with marshes, swamps, hills.	Transferred to Harvard University.⊙
Lunt Marshes (1966) Essex Co.	14	Salt marshland with small pond.	Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel B. Lunt. Visitors by permission.
Old MacDonald's Farm (1966) Franklin Co.	52	Second-growth hardwoods and conifers along mossy brook.	Gift of Mr. B. MacDonald Steers. Admission by permission.
Vinal Nature Reserve (Black Pond) (1961) Plymouth Co.	51	Typical northern sphagnum bog surrounded by white cedar.	Owned. Visitors by permission.
Wheaton Farm (1967) Bristol Co.	278	Woods, fields, and pond.	Administered by Town of Easton Conservation Commission.⊕
MICHIGAN			
Dead Stream Preserve (1967) Benzie Co.	71	Tamarack bog. Slow moving water aquatic community.	Gift of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Maley. Open to public.
Drayton Plains (1965) Oakland Co.	55	Wooded area for nature study.	Natural Science for Youth Foundation.⊕
Horner Woods (1964) Washtenaw Co.	23	Woodland with fine twin-leaf and trillium.	Michigan Botanical Club.⊕
Kelly Tract (1964) Mackinac Co.	52	Wooded forest inholding on Lake Huron in Hiawatha National Forest.	Sold to Forest Service.⊙
Platte River Tamarack Bog (1967) Benzie Co.	125	River front, lake shore and tamarack bog. Silver salmon introduction successful.	Gift of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Maley. Open to public.
Pointe Mouillee (1967) Monroe Co.	30	To be restored as marshland for a waterfowl refuge.	Held for state.

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MICHIGAN — (Continued)			
South Manitou Island (1960) Leelanau Co.	80	Dunes and cedar forest.	State of Michigan.⊕
Waterloo Spruce Bog (1966) Jackson Co.	40	Relic black spruce bog, with tamarack associate and sphagnum moss cover.	Michigan Botanical Club.⊕
MINNESOTA			
Agassiz Dunes (1965) Polk and Norman Cos.	377	Fossil dunes with savannah type vegetation. Merging area of eastern and western animal species.	Owned; visitors welcome.
Helen Allison Savanna (1961) Anoka Co.	86	Tall grass prairie; oak openings and sand blowouts; low marshy swales.	Owned; open to public.
Black Pass (1965) Becker Co.	42	Mature hardwood forest situated between two lakes; bird migrating area.	Owned; gift of Hunting Club. Visitors by permission only.
Caledonia Oaks Preserve (1956) Houston Co.	80	Old-growth forest of white, red, and burr oak; rich herbaceous flora.	Owned; visitors by permission.
Lotus Lily Field (1968) Hennepin Co.	4	In Lake Minnetonka, one of the rare lotus lily beds in Minnesota.	Owned; admission by permission.
Lowry Preserve (1965) Hennepin Co.	14	Mature wooded open space in rapidly growing housing area.	Owned; gift of Mr. and Mrs. Goodrich Lowry.
Malmberg Prairie (1961) Polk Co.	80	Virgin grassland, big and little bluestem predominate on heavy, wet Fargo clay.	Owned; open to public.
Partch Woods (1965) Stearns Co.	60	Maple, elm upland with tamarack, around peat meadow.	Owned; gift of Dr. and Mrs. Max L. Partch. Visitors by permission.
Rabbit Run Woods (1965) Rice Co.	55	Small valley sloping down to Cannon River, with hardwood forest.	Carleton College.⊕
Schaefer Prairie (1967) McLeod Co.	160	Rolling tall grass prairie, alive with flowers in the spring.	Sale agreement; open to public.

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MISSISSIPPI Plymouth Bluff (1965) Lowndes Co.	30	Southern pine forest on bluff, overlooking Tombigbee River.	Transferred to Mississippi State College for Women.⊙
MISSOURI Carsonhurst (1959) Jefferson Co.	55	Oak-hickory woodland with mixed cedar openings, riparian land along Mississippi River.	Owned. Open to public.
Dees Azalea Wildflower Preserve (1967) St. Francois Co.	5	Hardwood forest with splendid azalea stand.	Owned; gift of Mr. and Mrs. Silas G. Dees. Open to public.
Dixon Tract (1964) Ripley Co.	320	Highly desirable inholding on Current River.	Held for Forest Service. Open to public.
Ederer Tract (1965) Ripley Co.	40	Forested area on Current River.	Sold to Forest Service.⊙
Holly Ridge Preserve (1958) Stoddard Co.	84	Sandy ridge composed of old sand dunes; native stand of Ilex opaca .	Owned; open to public.
Hyer Woods (1959) Dent Co.	30	Old-growth white oak forest.	Owned; gift of Mrs. John Bowles. Open to public.
Lily Pond (1961) Reynolds Co.	9	Geologically and botanically unique upland sinkhole pond with unusual vegetation.	Owned; visitors by permission.
Alma Peterson Azalea Memorial (1961) Douglas Co.	3	Stand of native azaleas and Rhododendron nudiflora , near western limit of range.	Owned; visitors by permission.
Pleasant Valley Cave (1967) Jefferson Co.	39	Long undisturbed hardwoods. Cave of scientific and speleological interest.	Owned; visitors by permission.
Tucker Prairie (1957) Callaway Co.	140	Tall-grass prairie.	University of Missouri.⊕
NEVADA Berlin Ghost Town (1967) Nye Co.	300	Mining ghost town.	Purchase option; held for state park system.

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NEW HAMPSHIRE			
Louis Cabot Preserve (1960) Cheshire & Hillsborough Cos.	400	Wooded peninsula with shore frontage on Lake Nubanusit.	Conveyed to Keene State College.⊙
Colson Property (1967) Rockingham Co.	20	Bog and second-growth woodland. Valuable for bird studies.	Owned; admission by permission.
Five Fingers Point (1966) Carroll Co.	71	Wild, virgin tract projecting into Squam Lake.	University of New Hampshire.⊕
Wales Preserve (1966) Hillsborough Co.	23	Mature hemlock woods along stream bank.	Owned; gift of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph H. Wales.
Ruth C. Warwick Preserve (1964) Cheshire Co.	40	Mature pine and hemlock forest.	Owned; gift of Dr. Ruth C. Warwick.
NEW JERSEY			
Kittatinny Tracts (1963) Sussex Co.	10	Woodland used for school demonstrations.	School of the Outdoors.⊕
William L. Hutcheson Memorial Forest (Mettlers Woods) (1955) Somerset Co.	135	Remnant of pre-colonial hardwood forest with buffer area.	The Rutgers University.⊕
Valhalla Hemlock Glen (1962) Morris Co.	32	Stream bordered by old-growth hemlock.	Owned. Visitors by permission.
NEW YORK			
Barbersville Falls (1967) Rensselaer Co.	80	Steep woods and bluffs around 80-foot waterfall on Poestenkill Creek.	Owned; open to public.
Bentley Woods (1963) Ontario Co.	22	Rolling topography, dense old-growth beech and hemlock.	Owned. Gift of Mrs. Raymond Bentley. Visitors by permission.
Bergen Swamp (1955) Genesee Co.	1,116	Unique flora on extensive open marl beds, white cedar swamp and surrounding forest of conifers and hardwoods.	Bergen Swamp Preservation Society, Inc.⊕
Vail Blydenburgh Sanctuary (1966) Suffolk Co.	27	Area of mixed hardwood with frontage on Nissequoque River.	Owned. Gift of Mrs. Vail Blydenburgh. Visitors by permission.

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NEW YORK — (Continued)			
Arthur W. Butler Memorial Sanctuary (1954) Westchester Co.	283	Swamp, stream, meadow and upland hardwood forest on rocky ridge.	Owned; open to public.
Butler-Huntington Woods (1961) Suffolk Co.	66	Young hardwood forest, oaks predominant, fine laurel undergrowth with such flowers as trailing arbutus, moccasin flower, and dutchman's pipe.	Owned; gift of Reverend Christopher Huntington and William R. Huntington; visitors by permission.
Church Tract (1962) Nassau Co.	20	Open water and cattail area.	Deeded to North Shore Bird Sanctuary. ☺
Louis C. Clark III Sanctuary (1966) Nassau Co.	6	A wooded natural area in urbanized Nassau County.	Owned. Gift of Mrs. Frances S. Weekes. Visitors by permission.
William S. Clough Nature Preserve (1962) Putnam Co.	50	Wooded slopes; swamp; brooks; abundant and diverse flora and fauna.	Owned. Gift of Mrs. William S. Clough. Visitors by permission.
Davenport Sanctuary (1963) Nassau Co.	8	Wooded glacial terrain with kettle hole pond on one of the highest glacial moraines on Long Island.	Owned; visitors by permission.
Daniel R. Davis Sanctuary (1964) Suffolk Co.	41	Typical pitch pine-oak woods on terminal moraine. A hermit thrush sanctuary.	Owned. Gift of Davis-Erhardt family. Visitors by permission.
Deer Lick Sanctuary (1960) Cattaraugus Co.	400	Fairly mature mixed hardwood forest along Cattaraugus Creek with some open meadows, scenic.	Owned. Gift of the Alverson family. Open to public.
Delafield Woods Preserve (1959) Suffolk Co.	16	Open forest of mature hardwoods.	Registered National Landmark. Owned; visitors by permission.
Dome Island Memorial Sanctuary (1957) Warren Co.	10	Mature forest of mixed hardwoods and conifers on a drumlin.	Owned. Gift of J. S. Apperson; visitors by permission.
Ruth Wales DuPont Wildlife Sanctuary (1961) Suffolk Co.	32	Half saltmarsh, half upland, heavy growth of low trees and shrubs suitable for wildlife cover.	Owned. Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. DuPont. Visitors by permission.
Fiddler's Green (1967) Madison Co.	100	Mixed woods and bog near Colgate University.	Owned. Open to public.

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NEW YORK — (Continued)			
Gloversville Tract (1961) Fulton Co.	940	Rolling terrain covered with hardwoods.	Sold to State for addition to the Forest Preserve.⊙
Great Bear Swamp (1965) Albany Co.	227	Biologically interesting swamp plants with large rhododendron colonies.	Owned; visitors by permission.
Halle Ravine (1968) Westchester Co.	38	Towering hemlocks rising on both sides of stream.	Agreement of sale.
Harbor Hill Sanctuary (1967) Nassau Co.	4	Demonstration preserve in a densely populated area within the shadow of New York City.	Owned; gift of Mrs. Helen Sperry Lea.
Edwin C. Hoyt Woods (1964) Suffolk Co.	4	A tract of woods, largely oak, overlooking the south shore outwash plains.	Sold to Smithtown for park.⊙
Ironsides Island (1964) Jefferson Co.	20	Island with red streaked cliffs in Alexandria Bay, St. Lawrence River. Great blue heron rookery.	Owned; visitors by permission.
Kaplan Meadows (1967) Suffolk Co.	22	Salt marsh and upland on Accabonac Harbor.	Owned. Gift of Mr. J. M. Kaplan; admission by permission.
Kings Point Pond Preserve (1957) Nassau Co.	15	Fresh water pond, an important shelter for waterfowl in migration.	Owned. Open to public.
Lisha Kill (1963) Schenectady Co.	108	A stream valley joining the Mohawk River, Lisha Kill winds for more than a mile between slopes and shale outcroppings.	Owned. Open to public.
Little Bear Swamp (1960) Albany Co.	80	Swampy woodland notable for its 30-acre stand of Rhododendron maximum .	Owned; visitors by permission.
Loines Preserve (1965) Warren Co.	25	Wooded and marshy area on Northwest Bay, Lake George.	Owned. Gift of Loines family.
Merrill Lake Sanctuary (1966) Suffolk Co.	22	Salt marsh with tree "islands" on higher ground.	Owned. Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick E. Lake; visitors by permission.
Mianus River Gorge Preserve (1954) Westchester Co.	235	Mature hemlock stand and old-growth hardwoods in deep ravine.	Owned; open to public.
Moccasin Kill Preserve (1967) Schenectady Co.	50	Hills and ravines with second-growth mixed hardwoods and conifers.	Owned. Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Heinz Specht. Admission by permission.

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NEW YORK — (Continued)			
Moss Lake Nature Sanctuary (1958) Allegany Co.	81	Kettle lake and bog heath surrounded by hemlock and hardwood forest.	Owned; open to public.
Pawling Nature Preserve (1958) Dutchess Co.	1,041	Upland hardwood forest and low swampy woodland; ridge traversed by Appalachian Trail.	Owned. Gift of Akin Hall Association. Open to public.
Rip's Retreat (1961) Greene Co.	10	Inholding in forest preserve.	Sold to State.⊙
Sheppard Dunes (1968) Suffolk Co.	8	Long Island coastal dunes and bog.	Owned. Gift of Rose Jackson Sheppard. Open to public.
Smoky Hollow Bog (1956) Suffolk Co.	1	Bog in interdunal depression.	Owned. Gift of Dr. Warren Smadbeck. Visitors by permission.
Stewart Sanctuary (1966) Rensselaer Co.	123	Rolling upland with old secondary mixed woods and small swamp.	Owned. Gift of Dr. George R. Cooley and Mrs. Dorothy Higgins England.
Sunken Forest Preserve (1953) Suffolk Co.	61	Bay-to-beach segment of Fire Island a half mile long, including beach, sand dunes and mature barrier-beach forest of holly, oak and pine.	Sunken Forest Preserve.⊕
Thompson Pond (1958) Dutchess Co.	173	Shallow glacial lake, notable for its marshy and aquatic vegetation and associated wildlife.	Owned. Open to public.
Tommy Thurber Memorial (1960) Westchester Co.	6	Red maple swamp with some open water and cattail marsh.	Owned. Gift of Mr. Francis B. Thurber. Visitors by permission.
Wolf Swamp Sanctuary (1957) Suffolk Co.	20	Deciduous forest and marshy shore of a fresh water pond (Lake Missapaque).	Owned. Gift of Elizabeth M. Tilton; visitors by permission.
NORTH CAROLINA			
Boyd Forest (1963) Moore Co.	420	Fine stand of southern pine.	State of North Carolina.⊕
Freedlund Tract (1967) Macon Co.	89	Forested inholding in Nantahala National Forest.	Sold to Forest Service.⊙

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NORTH CASCADIA — (Continued)			
Standing Indian Mountain (1960) Clay Co.	1,600	Contains 300 acres of virgin red oak and yellow poplar.	Dorothy Thomas Foundation.⊕
Timber Ridge Preserve (1967) Jackson Co.	20	Nearly mature stand of hardwoods and some conifers on mountain land.	Owned. Gift of Dr. and Mrs. James K. Stoddard. Open to the public.
Henry M. Wright Preserve (1964) Macon Co.	22	Outstanding example of mature conifers.	Owned. Gift of Mr. Henry M. Wright; visitors by permission.
E. Lucy Braun Preserve (1958) Adams Co. (Lynx Prairie)	53	Climax tall grass prairie invaded by red cedar.	Conveyed to Cincinnati Museum of Natural History.⊙
Brown's Lake Bog (1965) Wayne Co.	80	Northern bog community, including some rare plants.	Owned. Open to public.
Buzzardroost Rock (1960) Adams Co.	152	High promontory of silurian dolomite.	Conveyed to Cincinnati Museum of Natural History.⊙
Clifton Gorge (1963) Greene Co.	11	Scenic forest gorge with rare Northern flora. Part of County Common at Antioch.	Transferred to Dayton Museum.⊙
Edwin H. Davis Memorial (1959) Adams Co. (Cedar Fork)	88	Lush forest growth and prairie vegetation, relics of the Ice Age.	Ohio Historical Society.⊕
Daykin Swamp (1963) Lake County	18	A small sphagnum swamp bordering a stream.	Owned. Visitors by permission.
Dysart Woods (1961) Belmont Co.	456	Two virgin white oak, beech, and yellow poplar woods totaling about 45 acres; remainder in forest and fields.	Deeded to Ohio University.⊙
Kimball Woods (1962) Lake Co.	98	Wooded land with 20 acres of swamp.	Owned by Kent State University.⊙
Mentor Marsh (1961) Lake Co.	237	Outstanding swamp and bottomland forest tracts traversed by sluggish Black Brook.	Conveyed to Cleveland Museum.⊙
Red Bird Hollow (1965) Hamilton Co.	51	Beautiful wooded ravine with stream. A sample of local flora and fauna.	Owned. Visitors by permission.
Stark Wilderness (1964) Stark Co.	248	Almost virgin stand of white, red and burr oaks.	Stark Wilderness Center, Inc.⊕

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OHIO Stillfork Swamp (1963) Carroll Co.	61	A swamp with northern relic vegetation, where a new species of cricket, Nemobius melodius , was discovered in 1957.	Owned. Partial gift of Mr. and Mrs. Carlton B. Coen. Visitors by permission.
OREGON Camassia Natural Area (1963) Clackamas Co.	22	Natural rock gardens, ponds, meadows with abundant wildflowers including camassia.	Owned. Leased to Lewis & Clark College.
Cascade Head (1966) Tillamook Co.	300	Very scenic headland. Coastal flora and large meadow.	Owned; open to public.
PENNSYLVANIA Cranberry Bog Preserve (1955) Monroe Co.	121	Black spruce bog with typical boreal vegetation.	Conveyed to Lafayette College. ⊙
Woodbourne Forest & Wildlife Sanctuary (1956) Susquehanna Co.	555	200 acres of old-growth hemlock and hardwood forest. Swamp, bog pond, conifer plantation and meadows.	Owned. Gift of the Cope family; open to public.
RHODE ISLAND Miller Memorial Tract (1965) Washington Co.	50	Upland forest and marsh along Hunt River.	Audubon Society of Rhode Island.⊕
SOUTH DAKOTA Altamont Prairie (1961) Deuel Co.	62	Virgin tall grass prairie, intermittent small streams.	Owned by Alumni Division of South Dakota State College Foundation.⊙
TEXAS Attwater Prairie Chicken Sanctuary (1964) Colorado Co.	3,467	Last refuge of Attwater Prairie Chicken.	Transferred to World Wildlife Fund, Inc.⊙
Ezell's Cave (1967) Hays Co.	1	Cave containing rare blind salamanders and life endemic to this cave only.	Owned; admission by permission.
VERMONT Molly Bog (1961) Lamoille Co.	30	Northern sphagnum bog with 3-4 acres of open water.	University of Vermont.⊕

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VIRGINIA			
Alexander Berger Memorial Sanctuary (1964) Spotsylvania Co.	865	Large hardwood and pine forest. Hardwood forest with rhododendron understory along small tributary of the Rappahannock River. Beaver dams.	Owned. Gift of Helen B. Bryan. Visitors by permission.
Fernbrook Natural Area (1964) Albemarle Co.	62	Second-growth forest of oak, hickory, tulip poplars, sycamores and beech. A high bluff overlooks the Rivanna River. Isolated stand of white pine.	Owned. Gift of Mr. and Mrs. George R. Paschal. Visitors by permission.
Fraser Preserve (1967) Fairfax Co.	233	Mixed hardwood forest and fields, 17 miles from Washington, with half mile of Potomac frontage.	Gift of Mrs. George B. Fraser. Admission by permission.
Great Falls (1956) Fairfax Co.	876	Gorge, red maple swamp, and adjacent hardwood forest on Potomac River.	National Park Service.⊕
Harrington Tracts (1964) Grayson Co.	530	Open ridge top land containing Rhododendron catawbaensis , spruce and fir.	Sold to U.S. Forest Service.⊙
Leven Tract (1960) Fairfax Co.	18	Park-like tract with stream.	Fairfax County Park Authority.⊕
Lucas Woods (1964) Frederick Co.	28	Forest with rich assortment of herbaceous flora at 2,600 feet on Great North Mountain.	Owned. Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph W. Lucas. Open to public.
Mason Neck (1967) Fairfax Co.	2,235	Wooded land and marshes held for park. Bald eagle breeding area.	Owned. Held for state and federal agencies.
Mountain Meadow Farm (1961) Smyth Co.	863	Mature forest with two trout streams.	Conveyed to the state of Virginia.⊙
Nanzatico Point (1966) King George Co.	192	A point of open land on Rappahannock River. Only river banks are wooded. Marshy tidal creek.	State of Virginia.⊕
Snodgrass Tract (Mt. Rogers) (1965) Grayson Co.	786	Open mountain ridge with three rocky peaks. Spruce, fir, rhododendron on lower slopes.	Sold to U.S. Forest Service.⊙
Wildcat Mountain (1961) Fauquier Co.	633	Entire west side of mountain; eastern deciduous forest; wide range of animal life.	Owned. Gift of the Arundel family. Visitors by permission.

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WASHINGTON			
Anderson Lake (1966) Jefferson Co.	15	Outdoor recreation area.	Conveyed to Washington State Parks.⊙
Dickey River (1966) Clallum Co.	6	Spruce area in junction of east and west forks of Dickey River.	Owned; admission by permission.
Engelhorn Pond (1968) Kittitas Co.	1.5	Bird sanctuary.	Owned. Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Engelhorn.
Dishman Hills (1967) Spokane Co.	80	Rocky cliffs, ravines and outcroppings, forested with ponderosa pine and Douglas fir.	Owned; open to public.
Mima Mounds (1967) Thurston Co.	512	Grassland with strange mounds up to seven feet in height.	Leased from State. Washington Chapter project.
Moxee Bog (1966) Yakima Co.	14	Glacial remnant floating sphagnum bog.	Owned. Open to public.
Olympic National Park Project (1967) Grays Harbor Co.	13	Controls Quinault Valley entrance of park.	Owned. Held for National Park Service. Open to public.
Rawson Grant (1967) Kitsap Co.	46	Upland mesic mixed forest with large salt water marsh.	Owned. Gift of Dr. and Mrs. Erroll W. Rawson. Admission by permission.
Rose Creek Preserve (1966) Whitman Co.	12	Remnant of the Palouse Valley in which shrubs dominate and trees remain.	Owned. Gift of Dr. and Mrs. George E. Hudson. Admission by permission.
Swan Creek Canyon (1963) Pierce Co.	40	A ravine and marsh traversed by Swan Creek, a clear water stream within the city of Tacoma.	Sold to Pierce Co. for park.⊙
Wildflower Acres (Deering Preserve) (1962) Snohomish Co.	25	Lowland second-growth forest of red alder; wildflowers including bleeding heart, trillium and twin flower.	Conveyed to Western Washington College.⊙
WEST VIRGINIA			
Beartown Tracts (1964) Pocahontas and Greenbrier Cos.	61	Mixed mature hardwoods; area contains ice crevices.	Owned; open to public.

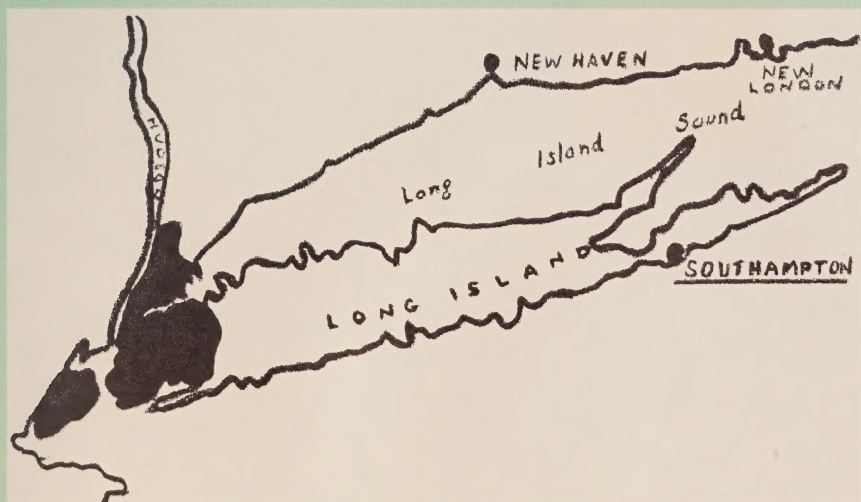
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WEST VIRGINIA — (Continued)			
Bennett Tract (1966) Pendleton Co.	59	Hemlock-covered ravine at 3,000 foot level.	Owned. Held for U.S. Forest Service. Open to public.
Cathedral Woods Addition (1962) Preston Co.	7	Stand of virgin hemlock. Some of the trees, 7 feet in diameter and 600 years old.	Owned; held for state park. Open to public.
Cranesville Swamp (1960) Preston Co.	275	Outstanding northern bog with tamarack, black spruce and associated northern flora and fauna.	Owned; open to public.
Murphy Preserve (1968) Ritchie Co.	276	Oak-hickory forest, some virgin, with two small ponds.	Owned; gift of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Murphy. Open to public.
Spruce Knob (1967) Pendleton Co.	2,379	Three tracts of mixed hardwoods on mountain land.	Owned; held for U.S. Forest Service. Open to public.
Yankauer Preserve (1967) Berkeley Co.	107	Open fields returning to oak forest. High bluff on Potomac River.	Owned. Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Yankauer. Open to public.
WISCONSIN			
Abraham Woods (1960) Green Co.	40	Old-growth hardwood forest.	Conveyed to University of Wisconsin.⊙
Baraboo Hills (1964) Sauk Co.	733	Interesting glacial terrain covered by pine and hemlock forest.	Owned; open to the public.
Benedict Prairie (1959) Kenosha Co.	6	Remnant of mesic prairie.	Conveyed to University of Wisconsin.⊙
Cactus Rock (1965) Waupaca Co.	20	Granite outcrop with associated prairie.	Owned; open to public.
Cedarburg Beech Woods (1963) Ozaukee Co.	197	The last good beech woods in the Milwaukee area, adjoining a floating bog. Upland hardwood forest and swamp.	Conveyed to the University of Wisconsin.⊙

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WISCONSIN — (Continued)			
Chiwaukee Prairie (1966) Kenosha Co.	39	Only remaining sample of original prairie along Lake Michigan.	Owned. Visitors by permission.
Stanley Harris Tract (1964) Kenosha Co.	237	Oak openings on upland; wetland composed of open water, cattail and sedge marsh and wet prairie.	Deeded to University of Wisconsin. ⊙
Hi-Trestle (1965) Winnebago Co.	10	Small stream valley with maple and Kentucky coffee tree stand.	Conveyed to Wisconsin State University's Oshkosh Foundation ⊙
Holmboe Preserve (1965) Oneida Co.	32	Typical northern wet mesic forest (spruce, balsam, hemlock) along Pelican River. Some wild orchids.	Own 3/10 undivided interest. Gift of the Holmboe family. Visitors by permission.
Lodde's Mill Bluff (1962) Sauk Co.	35	Steep vertical sandstone cliff.	Conveyed to University of Wisconsin. ⊙
Oliver Prairie (Shooting Star Hill) (1962) Green Co.	5	Typical xeric, calcareous prairie.	Conveyed to University of Wisconsin. ⊙
Ridges Sanctuary (1961) Door Co.	10	Wildflower preserve added to original 736 acres.	Ridges Sanctuary, Inc. ⊕
Summerton Bog (1967) Marquette Co.	250	Sedge marsh containing tamarack swamps and one small island with prairie plants.	Owned; open to public.
Thousand Rocks Point Prairie (1966) Dane Co.	3	Dry prairie with more than 60 species of plants.	Owned; gift of Stacy and Mildred Collins. Open to public.
Toft Point (1967) Door Co.	235	Dark forest, largely pine. At Mud Bay, a waterfowl marsh leads into boggy meadows, then cedar swamps.	Conveyed to University of Wisconsin. ⊙
Two Creeks Site (1967) Manitowoc Co.	12	Preserved buried spruce forest reflecting glacial improvement.	Owned; admission by permission.

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

As required by the Constitution and By-laws of The Nature Conservancy, notice is hereby given to all members that the Annual Meeting of The Nature Conservancy will be held in Southampton, New York, on August 23, 24, and 25, at Southampton College.

At that time there will be election of officers and such other business as may properly come before the Meeting.

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